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	No. 8607 號七零百六	千八第 日三十月六年	E一十緒光 HON	GKONG, FRIDAY, JULY 21rn, 18	386. 五拜禮		PRICE
	SHIPPING.	INTIMATIONS	BANKS.	AUCTION	TO BE LET.	NOTI ES TO CONSIGNEES.	
i	ARRIVALS.	FOR SALE.	TONGKONG&SHANGHAIBANKING		TO LET.	FROM LONDON, PENANG, AND	
. , 9	July 22, TITAN, British steamer, 1,551, R. J. Brown, Shanghai via Amoy 21st July, Ge-		PAID-UP CAPITAL	JAPANESE PORCELAIN WARE AND CURIOS, &c.	COLLEGE CHAMBERS (late HOTEL DE L'UNIVERS) Single Rooms or Suites of	SINGAPORE. THE Steamship	THEAT
9	neral.—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. July 23, Phra Chom Klao, British steamer,	ANGLO-BAVARIAN	RESERVE FUND 4,400,000. RESERVE FOR EQUALIZATION OF 400,000.	THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Austion.	Apartments. No. 4, OLD BAILY STREET.	"GLENEARN." having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees	POSITIV
9	1,012, H. Stratton, Bangkok 16th July, General.—YUEN FAT HONG.	EXPORT PALE ALE.	RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO- \ 7.500.000.	the 25th July, 1885, at 2 p.m., at his New Sales Rooms, Duddell Street,—	DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, 23rd June, 1885.	of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns	FW3 14 10
-0,=····		SPARKLING and LIGHT, a most refreshing	Court of Directors:-	A VERY FINE BELECTION OF JAPANESE PORCELAINS AND	TO LET.	of the Undersigned whence and/or from the wharves or boats delivery may be obtained.	TO-MORRO
	Wahn 18th July, Rice,—BUTTERFIELD &	SUMMER DRINK	Chairman—Hon. F. D. Sassoon. Deputy Chairman—A. McIvee, Esq.	C U R I O S, Comprising:	(With Possession from 1st October next). OUSE No. 8, STANLEY STREET.	Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 5 r.m.,	
	July 23, Adolph, German bark, 886, Wester- gaard, Hamburg 2nd April, General.—Can-	FIRST CLASS MEDALS,	H. L. Dalrymple, Esq. H. Hoppins, Esq. M. Grote, Esq. O. D. Bottomley, Esq.	SATSUMA, OMARI, KAKA and YEDDO VASES, BOWLS, PLATES, TEA SETS, &o.: YEDDO COPPER ENAMELLED	No. 31, Wellington Street.	Cargo remaining undelivered after the 28th instant, will be subject to rent.	- "I I
	LOWITZ & Co.	SYDNEY AND MELBOUENE.	Hon. W. Keswick A. P. McEwen, Esq. CHIEF MANAGER. Hongkong—Thomas Jackson, Esq.	JARS. VASES, PLATES, and other CURIOS.	For Particulars, apply to ROZARIO & Co.	No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by	Dress C
	CLEARANCES. At the Harbour Master's Office.	GOLD MEDALS,	MANAGER. Shanghai—EWEN CAMERON, Esq.	Terms of Sale.—As Customary. G. R. LAMMERT, Auctioneer.	Hongkong, 23rd July, 1885. 1350	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, 21st July, 1885. [1341	Stalls Pit (for Tickets to
	23RD JULY. Titan, British str., for Singapore.	PARIS AND VIENNA	London Bankers-London & County Bank.	Hongkong, 23rd July, 1885. [1352]	TO LET.	NETHERLANDS-INDIA STEAM NAVI- GATION COMPANY, LIMITED.	BHOY, FAMI Theatre.
	Glenearn, British str., for Shangbai.	Sele Importers :—	Hongkong—Interest Allowed. On Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per Annum on the daily balance.	INSURANCES.	East, No. 12, Immediate Possession. Apply to MEYER & Co.	FROM BATAVIA, SINGAPORE, AND	Doors open
4	DEPARTURES. July 23, Peiho, French str., for Europe.	LANE, CRAWFORD& Co.	On Fixed Deposits:— For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum.	NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.	Hongkong. 5th May, 1885.	SAIGON. THE Company's Steamship "G. G. S'JACOB,"	Hongkong
	July 23, Milton, British str., for Canton. July 23, Glengarn, British str., for Shanghai.	Hongkong, 30th May, 1885. (26	For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum. For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum. LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.	LIFE ASSURANCE ONLY.	TO BE LET. OSE VILLAS WEST, FURNISHED.	having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their	
	July 23, MELBOUENE, French str., for Shaughai. July 23, An-LAN, Chinese g-bt., for Chew-chow.	KELLY AND WALSH, LIMITED,	Carpits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange	Purely mutual; all profits belong to Policy- holders and apportionments are made annually.	Bonham Road, with TENNIS LAWN. Apply to	Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for Counter- signature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.	
	PASSENGERS.	1,000 Numbers of the Dautsche Library. Rodgers' Pocket and Pen Knives. A New Stook of Gold, Silver, Oxyde and	business transacted. DRAFTS granted on London, and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia,	STATEMENT FOR YEAR ENDING 31st December, 1883. Accumulated Funds	SHARP & Co. Hongkong, 22nd June, 1885. [1169]	Clause immediance the discharge will be at anne	MR. WI
	Per Titan, str., from Shanghai via Amoy	Plated Pocket Pencils and Pocket Penholders. Stanford's Map of China.	America, China and Japan. T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.	Surplus over all liabilities and Reserve Fundaccord 2 2 130 332	TO LET.	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,	MEN AMA
4.4	400 Chinese. Per Phra Chom Klao, str., from Bangkok.— 135 Chinese.	Billiards simplified, or how to make breaks with 60 diagrams of the actual play of Cook, Bennett, Mitchell and Peall—50 Cents.		ing to valuation made by the Government	A VALUABLE SHOP in BANK BUILD- INGS adjoining the Victoria Dispensary. Also TWO ROOMS Suitable for OFFICES	Hongkong 20th July 1885 [123]	CAS
	Per Holhow, str., from Wuhu.—10 Chinese. DEPARTED.	Cassell's British Battles, profusely illustrated. Bedford's Sailor's Pocket Book.—New Ed. 1885.	DULES OF THE HONGKONG	C. SETON LINDSAY, Res. Manager.	Apply to M. STEPHENS.	STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY,	Mr. Marsi. Harry Mar Mr. Caterm
	Per Petho, str., from Hongkong.—For Saigon. —Sister C. Harard, Mr. Pedro Elias des Santes.	A Quantity of New Songs and Walties. Gavotte by G. Sauvlet, as played in Hong-kong lately with great success.		Department of the East. BIRLEY, DALRYMPLE & Co.,	Selicitor, 18, Bank Buildings. Hongkong, 3rd July, 1885. [805]	NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.	DOUGLAS CA REV. ROBER
	For Singapore. — Messrs. J. Craig and G. Angus. For Marseilles. — Messrs. Hobson and Schnepel. From Shanghai. — For Saigon. —	St. George's March by G. Sauvlet, (Dedicated to H. E. Sir Geo. F. Bowen).	Danking Corporation, on their premises in	40	TO LET OR SELL, AT THE PEAK. A FIVE ROOMED HOUSE with TENNIS	FROM LONDON AND JINGAPORE.	Mr. Sydney Mr. Nahhei
	Mr. P. White. For Port Said.—Capt. Irstzroy. For Marseilles.—Messrs. Buissonget, C. Johns-	Humorous Literature, profusely illustrated:— On a Mexican Mustang through Texas. Mark Twain's Hucklebury Finn.	Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1. 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 st	TRANSATLANTICFIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG.	ROOMS and OUT-OFFICES Complete.	THE Steamship "CHINGWO," having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees	TOM, EDITH MARI EVA WEBST
,	ton, J. Nicol, Rev. Oertselser, Fergusson, Pol- son, Carter and Little. From Yokobama.—For	Mark Twain's Life on the Mississippi. Mark Twain's Choice Works.	one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.		For Particulars apply to DANBY & LEIGH, Hongkong, 10th June, 1885. 1083	of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns	Mrs. Stead. Miss Askro:
	Marseilles.—Dr. Naumann. From Makung.— For Saigon.—Lieut. Le Moel, Messrs. Lancuy, Plivard, Fabre, Antony, Enok, Michel, Biros,	Mark Twain's Adventures of Tem Sawyer. Mark Twain's The Gilded Age.	3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shang-	ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.	LYONGRONG WHARF & GODOWNS.	of the Undersigned at Wanchai, whence delivery may be obtained.	ENTIR
	Baumann, Schovabe, Labat, and Guine.	Mark Twain's Roughing it. Artemus Ward's Works. Bret-Hartes's Works.	hai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.	SIEMSSEN & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 16th November, 1872.	Goods received on STORAGE at Moderate Rates, in First-class Godowns.	No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent into the Office of the Undersigned before	1.0
i,	REPORTS. The British steamer Holhow reports left	Boccacio's Decameron. Works of Rabelais.	4.—Interest at the rate of 34 per cent. per annum will be allowed to Depositors on their daily balances.		Entire GÖDOWNS to be LET	Noon on the 27th instant, or they will not be recognised.	DDAWE
	Wuhu on the 18th July, and had light to moderate S.E. winds and fine weather throughout the passage.	A very large stock of Cheap-Light Litera- ture in handy Volumes. KELLY & WALSH, LD., HONGKONG	5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book, which must be presented with	FIRE Undersigned having been appointed		No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 27th inst., will be subject to rent.	
	The British steamer Phra Chom Klas reports	247	not make any entries themselves in their Pass-	Agents for the above Company, are prepared to GRANT POLICIES against FIRE AND LIFE at Current Rates.	POOMS in Club CHAMBERS.	Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon, TO-	
	winds from S.W. to N.W. to Palo Obi; from thence to port light variable winds and fine wea-		at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.	PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, 1st April, 1885. [666	Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.	Bills of Lading will be Countersigned by ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,	This reached its 4
,	ther throughout.	Froude's Thomas à Becket.	6.—Correspondence as to—the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings Bank Business is forwarded free by the various	THE LONDON ASSURANCE.	Hongkong, 1st February, 1882. [32] TO LET.	Hongkong, 20th July, 1885. [1:332]	Dress C
i	July- ARRIVALS.	Victor Hugo and his time. New Music for Violin.	British Post Offices in Hongkong and China. 7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand,	MAJESTY HING GEORGE THE FIRST.	SIX COMMODIOUS DWELLING HOUSES now being erected in UPPER		T MAN WILL IN
	11. Ling Feng, Chinesecruiser, from Formess. 13. Benledi, British str., from Hongkong. 13. Kwongsang, British str., from Swatow.	New Music for Organ. Sullivan's New Song "A Shadow."	but the personal attendance of the Depositor or his duly appointed Agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.	THE Undersigned having been appointed	PEEL STREET, at the back of the American Consulate. Rent Moderate, possession from 1st	FROM LIVERPOOL.	seen at Mess Hongkong
10	13, Douglas, British str., from Foochow. 13, Fokien, British str., from Tamsui.	Pinsuti's New Song "Water Lily." Tito Mattei's "La Coquette."	For the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank- ing Corporation,	Agents for the above Corporation, are prepared to grant Insurances as follows:— MARINE DEPARTMENT.	A BUNGALOW and OUT-Houses, at	Tudersigned not later than the 26th inst., for shipment per steamer "AGAMEMNON."	IN TH
	13, Don Juan, Spunish str., from Hongkong. 13, Esmeralds, British str., from Hongkong. 14, Namos, British str., from Hongkong.	Large Quantity of Scrap Pictures.	T. JACKSON, Chief Manager, Hongkong, 8th May, 1885. [893]	Policies at current rates, payable either here, in London, or at principal Ports of India;	Kowloon. Rent \$30 per month. Apply to ECA DA SILVA & Co	Hongkong, 20th July, 1885. 1298	IN THE MAT
	14, Claro Babuyan, Brit. bk., from Nagasaki. 14, Satsuma, British bark, from Newchwang.	800 Pairs of Lawn Tennis Shoes in Canva. Calf and Pigskin.	THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK	China, and Australia. FIRE DEPARTMENT. Policies issued for long or short periods at	No. 19, Hollywood Road. Hongkong, 18th July, 1885. [1318]	OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.	A LL CI
- 1	14, Rachel, British bark, from Chefco. 14, Carolino, Norw. bark, from Newchwang. 15, Hailoong, British str., from Tamsui.	New Low Cut Ladies' Tennis Shoes. Handsome Ladies' Indoor Shoes.	Registered Office, 40, THREADNEEDLE STREET	ourrent rates.	TO BE LET.	CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer "HECTOR,"	which date n
	16, Yung-ching, Amr. str., from Swatow. 17, Amatista, British str., from Hongkong.	Gentlemen's Calf Shoes.	BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN	Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000, at reduced rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.	HOUSE No. 29, EIGIN TERRACE, HOUSE No. 9, Mosque Terrace.	are horoby notified that the Cargo is being dis- charged into Craft, *** landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie at	to (i)
i	17, Diomed, British str., from Hongkoug. 17, Seewe, British str., from Shanghai. 18, Gulf of Suez, British str., from Shanghai.	Gentlemen's Patent Boots. Gentlemen's Patent Shoes.	AND THE COLONIES.	Hongkong, 26th July, 1872	GODOWN on PRAYA, WANCHI. GODOWN at FLETCHERS BUILDINGS.	Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the	23rd Ju
Y- a	18, Cheang H. Kian, Brit. str., from H'kong. 18, Thales, British str., from Hongkong.	W. BREWER, Queen's Road. UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL. [2]	THE BANK receives money on Deposit, Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange, issues Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection.	CORPORATION (LIFE).	LINSTEAD & DAVIS.	21st July, 1885. Goods undelivered after the 27th inst., will be subject to Rent.	FIRE
	July— DEPARTURES. 11. Rambler, British g-bt., for Shanghai. 11. Hailoong, British str., for Tamsui.	HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.		REDUCTION OF EASTERN RATES.	TO LET.	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 20th July, 1885. [1289]	EED
4	12, Lord of the Isles, British str., for S'pore. 13, Douglas, British str., for Swatow.	NOTICE TO SHAREHOLEES.	APPROVED CLAIMS ON THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION	POLICIES issued on the SPOT for any sum up to £5,000. Example:—	OFFICES AND CHAMBERS, No. 7, QUEEN'S ROAD, lately occupied by		Keys. Siz
i.	13, Kwongsang, British str., for Shanghai. 14, Minerva, German brig, for Newchwang. 14, Don Juan, Spanish str., for Hongkong.	THE THIRTY-EIGHTH ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING OF	PURCHASED ON ADVANTAGE- OUS TERMS, viz:	AGE 30WITH PROFITS£3.14.6 per cent. " 30WITHOUT PROFITS £3 9.6 per cent. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.,		COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.	Hongkong
	14, Benledi, British str., for Taiwanfoo. 14, Names, British str., for Foochow.	SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 7, Queen't Road Central, on FRIDAY, the 31st instant	equal to 87g per Cent. for whole Claim.	Agents.	Who will exhibit Plans and arrange Offices to suit applicants.	NOTICE.	D ,
	14, Fokien, British str., for Swatow. 14, Esmeralda, British str., for Manila. 14. Pelham, British brig, for Taiwantoo.	at Three O'clock in the Aptrancos, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Director	Manager, Hongkong Branch. Hongkong, 6th July, 1885. [8	TMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COM-	Hengkong, 9th April, 1885. [717]	CONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamships "ORTEGAL," "INVERTAY," AND "FREDERICK MOREL,"	
	15, Willie, British S-m. schr., for Takao. 15, Billy Simpson, British bark, for Chefoo.	together with a Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend, and electing Directors and Auditors. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company	- DISTRIBUTES	PANY. The Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to GRANT POLICIES	TROOMS SUITABLE FOR OFFICES.	from London, Antwerp, and Bordeaux, in connec- tion with above Steamer, are hereby informed	Current Rat
	15, Therese, German bark, for Newchwang. 15, Kristina Nilsson, Ger. brig, for Nichwang. 15, Haileong, British str., for Tamaui.	will be CLOSED from the 18th to the 31st instant, inclusive.	NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE	against FIRE to the extent of \$60,000 on any one	PENSARY, Peddars Street. Apply to	that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure, and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risks at the Company's Godowns,	Share in the
	16, Yung Ching, Amr. str., for Shanghai.	By Order of the Board of Directors, T. ARNOLD,	COMPANY AT HAMBURG.	RATES ON FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS RE-	Wm. CRUICKSHANK.	whence delivery may be obtained immediately	

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T. ARNOLD, Secretary. Hongkong, 11th July, 1885.

NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE COM-

17. Benclutha, British str., for Shanghai

Vessels arrived in Europe from Ports

(Per last Mail's Advice.)

VESSELS EXPECTED AT HONGKONG.

(Corrected to Date.)

Penarth

London.

.Cardiff.

New York

Hamburg

L'pool via Cardiff. May 25

.Antwerp

.Cardiff

.Cardiff

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

I IGHT SUBURBAN BUILDING LOTS

Situated in the District of Saudakan,

British North Borneo, will be Sold by Public

HENRY WALKER,

Commissioner of Lands.

..... Hamburg

......Hamburg

.....Liverpool

IN CHINA, JAPAN, AND MANILA

17, Diomed, British str., for Shanghai.

17. Amatista, British str., for Tamsul.

Claucus (s.) Shanghai

River Indus (s.) Penarth.

Bellerophon (s.)....London

ArugudaNewport

Bouth America Cardiff

Florence.......Cardiff

Radnorshire (s.)....London

or the Government Agents.

Sandakan, 16th June, 1885.

SAIGON.

MAFE DE SINGAPORE

NOORKHAN.

AT THE CORNER OF

All Liqueurs of Best Quality

BREAKFAST, DINNER, AND LUNCH,

To be had at a Moment's Notice.

SAIGON. FURNISHED BED ROOMS.

ENGLISH HOUSE ESTABLISHED JANUARY, 1884.

Travellers and Passengers,

English and French interpreter for foreign

BILLIARD ROOM,

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Land Office,

Leander.

Isaac Reed.

Marabout

Iphigenia (s.)

Prism (s.) Shanghai

Ulysses (s.)Shanghai,.......

PANY, LIMITED. ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING

May 29 of the SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the May 30 Head Office of the Company on MONDAY June 4 the 3rd of August, 1885, at 2.30 P.M., when the FIEE Undersigned having been appointed FIEE Undersigned, Agents of the above "1885, and by substituting therefor the rates. Geo: F. MansonPenarthApril 16 By Order of the Court of Directors, April 18 J. KENNARD DAVIS

Secretary. Shanghai, 1st July, 1885. CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NINETEENTH ORDINARY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Head Ban Hur, Esq. May 30 Office, Victoria, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the CHAN LI CHOY, Esq. Q. Hor CHUNE, Esq. May 31 10th Proximo, at 4 O'CLOCK P.M., for the pur-May 31 pose of presenting the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to 30th April last, MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World. 6 and of declaring dividends. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 28th instant to the

10th Proximo, both days inclusive.

By Order, W. H. RAY, Hongkong, 20th July, 1885. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

Auction at the Land Office, Sandakan, at O'CLOCK P.M., on TUESDAY, the 11th THE ORDINARY HALF-YEARL' will be held in the Offices of the Company No. THESE LANDS will be sold on the usual Government Title and under the usual conditions 14, Praya Central, on MONDAY, the 17th August, at 3.30 r.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, and a Statement of Plans may be seen, and information obtained, by applying at the Land Office, to the Residents, Accounts to 30th June, 1885. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company A New Road has been out through the Lands. will be CLOSED from the 3rd to 17th August

both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors. . D. GILLIES, Secretary.

Hongkong, 22nd July, 1885. THE HONGKONG HAIR DRESSING SALOON, Hongwong Hotel Buildings.

LADIES HAIR DRESSING RUE CATINAT No. 7 & RUE VANNIER No. 6, A SALOON is attached to this Establish. | THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMment, and Ladies are respectfully invited to give it a trial. Every satisfaction is guaranteed. In prepared to ACCEPT FIRST-CLASS Hongkong, 8th May, 1885. English Patent Table with Pockets, only one in F E O R G E G O U L E T CHAMPAGNE.

PUSTAU & Co., :-

Hongkong, 18th January, 1884.

THE Undersigned, AGENTS for the above L Company, are prepared to GRANT IN. FROM THIS DATE. SURANCES to the extent of \$65,000, on firstclass risks at current rates. MELCHERS & Co. Hongkong, 27th March, 1876.

THE STRAITS INSURANCE COMPANY:

following Special Resolution will be proposed:

Agents for the above Company, are proCompany, are authorized to INSURE
That Clause 44 of the Articles of Associapared to GRANT POLICIES on MARINE
against FIRE at Current Rates. "tion be altered by striking out the date RISKS to all parts of the World, at current

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. [860 | PITHE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE Hongkong, 5th November, 1883. THE MAN ON INSURANCE COM-PANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE—HONGRONG. CAPITAL (SUBSCRIBED), \$1,000,000.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS. LUM SIN SANG, Esq. YOW CHONG PENG, Esq. The Company GRANTS POLICIES on

payable at any of its Agencies. Contributory Dividends are payable to all Contributors of Business, whether they are Shareholders or not. WOO LIN YUEN, Secretary.

HEAD OFFICE, No. 2, Queen's Road West, Hongkong, 14th March, 1881. | 548a DHENIX FIRE OFFICE The Undersigned are now prepared to GRANTPOLICIES of INSURANCE against

FIRE at the following Rates:—
On First-class European On First-class Godowns. & Merchandise stored

censed Godownsat 11 %. Net per Annum. On First-class Chinese On Second-class Chinese Tenements at 21 %. Net per Annum.
DOUGLAS-LAPRAIK & Co., Agents for Phonix Fire Office.

Hougkong, 5th August, 1881.

Hongkong, 27th March, 1882.

PANY, LIMITED. and Japan, and at Singapore, Saigon, Penang, on First class Risks.

and the Philippines.

JAB B. COUGHTRIE.

CUN FIRE OFFICE. RISKS at 1 % nett per Annum, and other In-SURANCES at Current Rates.

The Undersigned are prepared from this date Q UEEN FIRE INSURANCE to GRANT POLICIES against FIRE at the COMPANY. Agenta Sun Fire Office.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

STOLTERFOHT & HIRST.

Do.

THE BORNEO CO, LIMITED.

Imperial Fire Insurance Company.

LTHE SCOTTISH UNION & NATIONAL

INSURANCE COMPANY.

COMPANY.

ESTABLISHED 1825.

are prepared to receive proposals for LIFI

Policies will be issued immediately

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTIL

INSURANCE COMPANY.

FIRE Undersigned, Agents of the above Com-

CALEDONIAN FIRE AND LIFE

INSURANCE COMPANY.

ESTABLISHED 1805.

pared to issue Policies of Insurance against Fire

T IVERPOOL AND LONDON AND

GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Agents for the above Company are pre-

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. 1927

pany, are authorized to INSURE against

GILMAN & Co.

Hongkong, 9th May, 1881.

Hongkong, 14th November, 1884.

Annual Revenue ...

in Shanghai.

Subsisting Assurances Do.

Hongkong, 30th June, 1885.

Hongkong, lat January 1882.

FIRE at Current Rates.

on the usual terms.

Hongkong, January, 1882.

Hongkong, 17th May 1881.

[708a Hongkong, 12th May, 1881.

RATES ON FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS RE Hongkong, 24th February, 1885. DUCED to a PER CENT. NETT PER ANNUM TO LET. FITHE OFFICES No. 54, Queen's Road L. Central, at present in the occupation of

the Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steam-BOAT Co., Limited. Entry on or about 1st July, 1885.

G. C. ANDERSON. No. 13, Praya Central.

THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF SIR cognized. HARRY SMITH PARKES, Knight Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of SAINT MICHAEL and SAINT GEORGE, lately Her Britannie Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary - to His

Accumulated Funds S1st Dec., 1884 ... £ 6,466,527 Majesty the Emperor of Chins, Deceased. ...£ 883,884 ... £20,467,582 OTICE is hereby given that all Persons The Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above Company upon or against the Estate of the said Sir be had on application to HARRY SMITH PARKES, who died in Peking, in the Empire of China, on the 22nd day of March, 1885, and Letters of Administra-Acceptance of Risks by the Board of Directors tion to whose Estate were granted by the Supreme Court of Hongkong, in its Probate Jurisdiction, to the Undersigned, one of the Executors named in the Will of the Deceased are hereby required to send in writing to the

Undersigned, on or before the 31st day of October, 1885, the full Particulars of their Claims or Demands. And Notice is hereby also given that as soon as possible after the expiration of the period above mentioned, the Undersigned will proceed to distribute the Assets of the said Sir HARRY SMITH PARKES, Deceased, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the Claims of which he, shall then have had Notice and that he will not be liable for the Assets or any part thereof so distributed to any Person or Persons, of whose Claim or Claims Agents for the above Company are pre- distribution.

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Honorous, July 24rm, 1885.

THE question as, to who should 'succeed

Sir Robert Hart as Inspector-General the Chinese Imperial Maritime Customs has, ever since the appointment of that gentleman to the post of British Minister to Peking, been a subject of much doubt and conjecture. It is now more. than two months since the first report that Sir Robert Harr was to succeed Sir HABRY PARKES was published, and to this day no official confirmation of the appointment has been made. There is no doubt that Sir ROBERT bas accepted the post so honourably filled by i. late lamented Minister, but for some reason-doubtless the difficulty the Chinese appear to find in naming a new head of the Customs -the notification of his appointment has not been gazetted nor has be assumed charge of the Legation. Rumour of course has been very busy in designating the new Inspector-General, and the names of Mr. James H. HART, brother of Sir ROBERT HART, Mr. J. McLeavy Brown, and Mr. G. Du-TRING have all been mentioned freely as likely to receive the honour. It has also been suggested that no Inspector-General would, for the present, be appointed, but that the Customs Service would be directed by a triumvirate, selected from the principal Commissioners. Now, however, comes a report from Peking which upsets all previous knowing ones. It is stated by a Tientsin telegram to our Shanghai morning contemporary that the Tsung-li Yamen intend to plain. It appears, then, pretty plain that the French of the Tune Wan being shortly expectators have secured for their countrymen the appoint Dr. MARTIN, of the Tung Wen Kuan (College of Peking) to be Inspector- We quote these remarks simply to show the General of Customs, The Rev. W. A. P. MAK-TIN, DD., LL. D., came out to China in 1850 Mission, and was first stationed at Ningpo. toms? We are not aware that the eminent tutor and divine has any 'particular capacity for business or possesses the tact and know. Let it be supposed that it has been decided show that all the Chinese primitive tradition Harr's successor should be plentifully endowed. Yet such an appointment would cedents. Literary attainments are to the Central Kingdom considered the first qualification for office, and, judged by their standard, no doubt De Marris's claims to the to Peking officials appear pre-eminent. To the minds of Chinese unandarins, too, there may seem

sonally few objections could, we imagine, be French being anxious to secure a recognition together. First and foremost, having in the construction of railways. Beyond this, British Government and nation are entitled to sak that the incumbent of an office so in- Chinese may have to dispose of, but simply timately concerned with their commerce shall supposed they will regard with equanimity providing that there shall be no exclusive the appointment of an outsider who is per- privilege in favour of France, would never fectly innocent of all knowledge of the work- bave been introduced. ing of the service. Lastly, the appointment will do great injustice to several deserving and capable gentlemen at present on the

liked and respected, would either of them be most suitable men for the post of Inspector. the 17th inst. for Port Hamilton. General. If it be desired, for some occult. reason, to confer the office on an American citizon, why pass over Mr. E. B. Danw, an able Commissioner whose long service and recognised merit should count for something? But the appointment of Dr. MARTIN has not yet been officially announced, and the report-like many more that emanate from Tientsin, which is growing famous for its "bunders"-may prove to be unfounded. In the interests alike of British trade and of the splendidly organised service over which Sir ROBERT HART has presided with such consummate judgment, we trust that the telegraphic announcement may be incorrect. With all deference to Dr. MARTIN we are compelled to express the very emphatic will go over to the Kowloon docks. opinion that Sir ROBERT HART's secular mantle will not adjust itself to his derical shoulders, and that he can better serve-China by continuing in his present post, where he is promoting the bigh cause of education, a kind of work at least affiliated to that which he left his country to promote.

THE French text of the treaty concluded Tientsin on the 9th June last has now ap- take the Chinese garrison at Sorul back to China. peared, having been communicated by the French Legation at Tokio to the Echo du Japon. It does not differ very materially Advortisements and Subscriptions which are not from the English translation from the Chi- rownight, when "Juleace-suppose" and "Indur- hand the defence of the criminal lamb against completely evacuated by the French troops. nese text, except in the clause relating to the construction of railways. In the translation of the actors. from the Chinese published by the N. C. Daily News this clause read as follows :-

The object of France and China in entering into this Treaty being to secure friendly commercial rela-tions between neighbouring States, it is now desired to duly realise this object by France opening up roads in Tonquin and promoting the early construction of railways; and it is agreed that if in the future China desires to lay down railroads, the advice of French experts shall be available for this purpose. And in the matter of securing the necessary labour, France will help to the ntmost, while it is clearly understood botween the two parties that this clause is not to construed as confining that advantage to France alone. The French text is as follows :-

En vue de développer dans les conditions les plu ayantagenses les relations de commerce et de bo voisinage, que le présent traité a pour objet de rétablir entre la France et la Chine, le Gouvernement de la République construirs des routes au Tonkin et y en . couragera la construction de chemins de fer. Lorsque de son côté, la Chine auxa décidé de struire des voies ferrées, il est entendu qu'elle s'adressera à l'industrio française, et le gouvernement de la République lui donnera toutes les facilités pour se procurer on France to personnel dont elle sura besoin. In the force, having latterly been employed at absurd charge of perjury against the witnesses est entondu anesi que cotte clause ne peut être considérés comme constituant un privilège exclusif en

avour de la France. The important point of difference is that whereas the Chinese text says that if China desires to lay down railroads "the advice of French experts shall be available for this purpose," the French text says that China eball address herself to French industry, and the Government of the Republic wi give her all facilities for procuring in France whatever personnel she may require.". Both versions agree in the provision that this clause is not to be considered as constituting an exclusive privilege in favour of Frauce. The proper construction to be placed upon this clause may be looked upon almost as

Chinese puzzle, It is the kind clause which in a contract between private individuals would be calculated to lead to litigation. The Japan Mail, baving quoted the clause, says :---

This is quite plain in so far as the employment binds herself to have recourse, in the first place, to Freigh industry, and it is not probable that she will speculation and is likely to confound the be allowed to go any farther. The last sentence of the article reads to us as though it were intended Zembsch, the German Consul-General at Seoul disposed of by the same official. It is the case stances, cross the frontier which separates Top. that the constable was blameless, and after a premium. simply to silence objection. So long as the treaty These vessels will afterwards come to Shanghai in connection with a clan quarrel at Quarry quin from China, which frontier France promises further long series of questions, K'o concludsimply to silence objection. So long as the treaty does not openly confer an exclusive privilege upon to allow the time-expired portions of their crews first offer of constructing China's railroads.

construction placed on the clause by one od by the Piece Goods Guild at Shanghai :reader. Our own interpretation of it would as a missionary of the American Presbyterian | be quite different | The concluding sentence -that the clause is not to be understood as Subsequently he proceeded to Peking, and conferring any exclusive privilege upon in 1871 was appointed by the Chinese Go. France-must be held to possess at least vernment President of the Tung Wen Kuan, equal validity with the preceding portion. which office he has filled with much credit ever. If it has been introduced "simply to silence since. Dr. MARTIN is a ripe Chinese scholar, objection," as the Japan Mail says, it is not and is the author of several works on Chinese to be expected that the possible objectors \$1,500 have been collected from Chinese during subjects, notable amongst which are his would be satisfied with the shadow without "Hanlin Papers," published in 1880. The the substance. Nor, on the other hand, is by the Peiko, the Compagnie des Messageries reverend doctor is widely known as an emin- it likely that China would consent to deprive ent sinologue, and his lengthy residence in herself of the advantages to be derived from Peking has enabled him to acquire a schol- soliciting tenders in the open market for arly knowledge of Chinese literature pos- whatever contracts she may have to dispose June number of the China Review. It opens sessed by few living foreigners. But, it may of in the way of railway construction. What fairly be asked, what are his qualifications is meant by the phrase "shall address her. Chancellor." This is followed by a further infor the important post, so entirely secular, self to French industry " is, we take it, that of Inspector-General of the Maritime Cus- China shall give French engineers the op- Central Asia." There are two papers by Dr. portunity of competing for whatever railway work she may decide on baving executed.

ledge of character with which Sir Robert to construct a line from Hankow to Canton, or from Canton to Kowloon, then China would be bound under the terms of the treaty not be at all inconsistent with Chinese pre- to notify the fact in some way to French engineers, in order to give them an oppor- article on " Characteristics of the Régime of the tunity of offering their services for the exe. Tang Dynasty." Some valuable notices of new cution of the work; but she is not debarred books by the editor and a varied collection of from notifying the fact in the same way to complete the contents. Amongst E.H.P.'s notes engineers of other untionalities, and the ex- is one headed. "Chinese despatch style adopted press stipulation that the clause shall not be lation is given of a telegram received by the understood as constituting an exclusive pri- Secretary of State for War from Lord Wolseley, to be no incongruity in appointing a mis- vilege in favour of France leaves her at the following remarks being appended:-"Thus sionary to a position so purely mundane, periest liberty to reject the French tenders graphy force us to imitate ancient Chinese terseseeing they have already induced one learned if she see fit; and to accept others. It is not and reverend doctor to leave the mission field even provided that she shall in the first in. Chinese modern official forms if we wish to be for the Customs Service, while they have also stance apply to French industry; but simply perfectly clear. witnessed missionaries filling diplomatic up- that she shall apply-presumably at the same time that she applies to other nation-If, however, the Tsung-li Yamen fail to alities. It will be remembered that some see any reasons of importance against the time ago there was a good deal of talk about. Rev. Dr. MARTIN as Sir Robert Harr's suc- eyndicates that had been formed for the concessor, we imagine there will be few for struction of certain railways in China. Poseigners in China who will not quickly re- sibly it was with reference to this that the cognise them. Against Dr. MARTIN per- clause was introduced in the treaty, the

urged. These will take a different form al- of their claims to consideration in regard to view the overwhelming preponderance of according to our reading, the clause does not British trade and interests in China, the go. It does not, in common language, give the French the first refusal of any contract the secures to them the right to tender for it. be a British subject. Secondly, the wishes Had it been intended to secure absolutely to sident of the Tang Wen Kuan, to succeed Sir of the foreign staff of the Customs, the ma- France the right to construct railways in Robert Hart as Inspector-General of Customs. jority of whom are British, might fairly be China the article would have been much more consulted to some extent, and it cannot be explicit than it is, and the last sentence,

M. Imbault-Huart, French Vice-Consul at of the German barque Princess Wilhelming, was police that the man had escaped through their three months after the signature of the present paper omitted to delete this line, with the fol-Hankow, was to leave Shanghai on the 18th inst. before the court, on remand, on a charge of have default. What was the action of the police, for treaty. staff of the Custous. Mr. J. McLEAVY per Kiangya to rejoin his post. He will thus ing attempted to commit suicide. Brown, whose ability is well known, and the proBrown whose ability is well known and Kwangsi shall be subjected of this policy; we began badly, we are going on to resume the duties of his office. Forehow and attempt to shoot himself on board his ship, soon as he got information of what occurred, did to duties inferior to those stipulated by the existing worse; what follows?"—here the unfortunate

The British gunboat Linnet, Commander G. M. Hill, left Shanglisi on the afternoon of Civil Hospital; The defendant was discharged.

The typhoon announced as entering the China Sea appears, according to the Government Astroomer, to be moving North-westward.

The P. and O. steamer Nepaul, with the next outward English mail, left Singapore at eight clock yesterday morning for Hongkong.

The British surveying vessel Rambler arrived in Shanghai on the 17th inst. from Hongkong. having been engaged surveying on her way up. The Italian corvette Cristoforo Colombo, Cap-

tain Accinni, which left Jonehuan on the 9th inst. arrived in Shanghai on Friday morning, The British steamer Whampoa will come round from Aberdeen to-day and the British steamers Hunkow and Phra Chula Chom Klao

The Daily News says that one of the foreign employes of the Great Northern Telegraph Company at Tientsin is now in Korea, engaged surveying for a telegraph line between Secul and Chemulpo. He arrived at the latter port

The Daily News states that Admiral Ting. with a squadron of eight Chinese gunboats and cruisers, left Chofoo on the 14th July for Korea. Three Chinese men-of-war were at Mussampo recently, having been sent over, it is said, to

in the Chinese cruiser Haishui.

The Prince Edward Parsec Theatrical Comany announce their last performance at the Theatre Royal, City Hall, to take place to-mor-

Our Shanghai morning contemporary says:-The water at Hankow has risen 45 feet 6 inohes and is getting too high to be pleasant. The cricket ground, most of the race course, the public garden, and the bund in front of the British Consulate are flooded, while the French Consulate has become an island."

wrath of the deity or demon who is casting ableandenergotioway in which his Lordship undercholeraic diarrhosa among us made a great sensu- took the work of defonding the ill-used men in tion in the streets yesterday. It included two the dock completely put the efforts of the counsel great dragons, and must have been at least half in the shade. "His Lordship's cross-examination a mile long. A prodigious amount of crackers was infinitely more severe, and the summing up was barnt, and possibly the smell of the powder | was beyond all measure a more powerful speech may do some good.

Wednesday night, a young Yorkshireman named the jury, and admirable only as such. Of course John Jenkins dying from apoplexy after only a few the result was that the jury acquitted the pri hours' illness. The deceased was a married man, soners, one of whom had made a confession of his and had one child; he had been about three years guilt, and the prosecution was followed by a most the Central Station as telegraph operator. The in the murder case, which collapsed in its first faneral took place yesterday.

As will be seen on reference to our front page | then given. tary," which has been so pronounced a success in attracted my attention: I will only allude to the in these melting days.

and was adjourned.

Chemulpo on the 9th inst. to survey the southern and it was never tried.

The following additional subscriptions to the Kwangtung Inundation Fund have been received

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The Daily News of the 18th July adds :- "In addition to the subscriptions from foreigners the past four days. \$2,000 were yesterday shipped to be forwarded to the scene of the disaster Maritimes kindly allowing the treasure to go free

We have to acknowledge receipt of the Maywith an interesting paper by Mr. C. Piton, entitled "Lu Puh-wei, or from Morchant to stalment of Mr. E. H. Parker's "Contributions dkins, one on "Chinese Roots" and the other

on "Chinese Early Mythology." The object of the latter is stated in the opening lines to be to which we have is contained in the classics, and that what is called primitive mythology was really invented or imitated from foreign sources at some time later than B.C. 820 or thereabouts. Dr. Chalmers contributes an interesting paper on wind instruments, and there is an unsigned notes over the well known initials of E.H.P ness, but it compels us to fall back on purely

LATEST TELEGRAMS LONDON, 22nd July

THE BRITISH FORCES IN SOUTH The Secretary of State for the Colonies, in reply to's question, said it is decided to reduce gradually the British Force in South Africa.

[PROM "N. C. DAILY NEWS."]

TIENTSIN, 17th July. THE NEW INSPECTOR-GENERAL_OF THE CHINESE IMPERIAL MARITIME CUSTOMS.

Yamên will appoint Dr. W. A. P. Martin, Pre-

POLICE COURT. BEFORE- MR. E. MACKEAN. ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

the treatment he received at the Government THE LABCENY FROM THE GLASS FACTORY

Lam Atim, No. 1 foreman of the Hongkon and Macao Glass Factory, and Cheung Po No. 2 foreman, were again before the court or the charge of having been unlawfully in possess sion of some lamps, a quantity of tools, &c., the property of their employers.

No further evidence was taken, and his Worship discharged the second-prisoner, but con vioted the first, and fined him £10, in default of paying which he was committed to gaol for three

Wong Aho, coolie in the employ of the Hong-

kong and Whampoa Dock Company, was charged

with stealing a brass pipe, value \$2, the propert of his employers, at Hung Ham. He was convicted and sont to gaol for six weeks. Choi Ahing, unlicensed hawker, pleaded guilty to stealing five brass basins from a shop at No. 7, New East-street, on the 20th inst. He went into the shop with two or thr others; any while they drew off the attention o the shopkeeper he put the basins under his coat. The prisoner had three previous conviction recorded against him, one at the Supreme Court

CORRESPONDENCE.

for which he was sentenced to three years' pena

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opiniexpressed by our Correspondents.

TENDERNESS FOR CRIMINALS. TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS." matters, a growing feeling of tenderness for ment to an officer to get up cases for trial. If search of vessels on the high seas. Within one hardened criminals charged with beinous offences officers are to be thus exposed to risk of dismissal month from the signature of the treaty the is--a tendency on the part of the court to take in from the force and the loss of a pension hardly land of Formosa and the Pescadoros shall be Sabha," a Trip to Fairyland, are lined for the the police wolf, and, like the judge in "Trial by they will be inclined to think twice before they Art. X.—The provisions of the forme occasion. This performance is for the benefit Jury," to restore the malefactor unpunished to his work up a Supreme Court case, and there will be treaties, agreements, and conventions between friends and his relations. The police who con- another inducement to all bad characters to ener- France and China not modified by the present duct the cases against these evil doers seem to be getically ply their neferious calling with cheer- treaty shall remain in full force. regarded as bloodthirsty men-hounds, who remorselessly hunt the outthroat from basking in the san, using the most unscrupulous and rascally methods of depriving the felon of his much

When the Lyndhurst Terrace murder case was before the court I was greatly struck with this tendency on the part of Chief Justice Phillippo. The Chinese dragen procession to appease the The prisoners were defended by counsel, but the for the prisoners than their own counsel gave them. To my mind it was no summing up at all Another death occurred in the police force on it was an interly one-sided advocate's address t stage. Had I been on that jury no summing up would have induced me to acquiesce in the verdict

Mr. Willard's Company, assisted by gentlemen This tendency appears to affect not mesely the amateurs, intends to give a performance at the bench, but the leader of the bar; the Attorney-City Hall Theatro on the 30th instant, when General seems also to be influenced by it. I can-Hawtrey's farcical comedy "The Private Secre- not in this letter go into all the cases which have London, will be produced. Such an attractive principal ones. The Test Tez Mui case finished bill of fare is likely to ensure a good house even up in the hands of the Attorney-General, and in my opinion it finished up in a most anaccountable way. One prisoner was committed for trial, as it On Wednesday morning an accident which appeared to me, upon very strong evidence. Not proved fatal occurred in the harbour to a seaman only was the man found trying to conceal a bangle named Charles Bramfud, belonging to the sworn to have been worn by the male victim of the American ship Reporter. Bramfud was down butchery, but a witness was produced who swore over the bows of the ship when by some means he that he saw the prisoner kill the man, at the orwas jammed between the hull of the vessel and der of the leafer of the avenging party, by two the cable. He was removed to the Government or three stabs with a knife. Primd facie that Civil Hospital without delay, but he had sus ovidence made out a very strong case. There

tained such serious injuries that he died early were inconsistencies and contradictions as to deyesterday morning. An inquest was opened on tails, as will be found in all Chinese evidence, no the body yesterday afternoon at the Mortnary, matter what ease one examines, but whether that evidence, was reliable or not, I apprehend that the Attorney-General was not the party to judge. The N. C. Daily News makes the following There was a strong prima facie case, and it was statement, which is interesting in view of the entirely a matter for a jury, and the case ought maintain order in the provinces of Annum which cane on his back. His Worship, after another Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Liannouncement lately made by some German to have come before the court for trial in the usual | border upon the Chinese empire. For this pur- long enquiry, somehow arrived at the conclusion French experts is concerned. But whather mile and papers that Germany was about to acquire a way. The Attorney-General however, exercised pose she will take the necessary measures to dis- that it was the Chinese policemen who had inrelling stock also are to be procured in France, the port or island on the coast of Korea:—"The his powers in an arbitrary manner, and assuming persu or expel the bands of pirates and vagabonds. Hicked these marks, and he consequently directed clause does not distinctly say. At all events, China German gunboats Nautilus and Itis left the functions of a grand jury, threw the case out, which disturb the public peace, and to prevent that the constable should be decked of half a binds hereoff to have reconvent in the first place.

Bay, in which one man was killed from a rap | both to respect herself and to guarantee against | ed that the prisoner had been ejected by tured spleen caused by a blow or blows on the any aggression whatsoever. body with a bamboo. The men concerned in On her side China undertakes to disperse or Jow named Isaacs, when claims to be a that attack were arrested, and as to the cause of expel such bands as may take refuge in her pro- British subject, and that it was this man who case of manslaughter that was one, but it never tions placed under the protection of France; and with Mr. Giles as to the proper means of effectgot further than the Attorney-General. That in consideration of the guarantees which have ing this, he directed the prisoner to go to official again arbitrarily exercised the functions been given as to the security of the frontier she British Court, and take out a summons against of a grand jury, and threw out a case which is in the same way debarred from sending troops I sascs. By the time this result had been arrived ought certainly to have gone to a common jury; into Tonquin. The high contracting parties will, at, about an hour of valuable time had been wastand unless a different aspect was put upon the fix by a special convention the conditions under ed over a paltry case which might have been discase at the Supreme Court than was put upon which the extradition of evil doers between China posed of in five minutes. Luckily the cases it by the evidence given at the Police Court and | and Annam shall be effected. the inquest, there is very great probability that The Chinese, whether colonists or disbanded never been very numerous or important; but but I must not omit to allude to the action taken by the Attorney-General and the court say the Press have already gone fully into the concluded. matier, and expressed a strong opinion upon it. concur, and consider the matter was a piece of high

quiesced in by the court, and a gross miscar- violation of the present treaty. ringe of justice, for as the judge said, it was a clear case against the prisoner. my patience, and caused me to pour forth my shall place landmarks wherever necessary to In Edinburgh, a club was provided with a dinner feelings in a public newspaper. In the criminal mark out the line of demarcation. In those in a well-ventilated apartment, the air being sessions for this' month there was a gardener cases where they may not be able to agree as to perfumed as it entered, imitating in succession charged with the menslaughter of another gar- | the location of these landmarks or on such recti- | the fragrance of the lavender and the orange dener at Wong Nei Chong; it was, to my mind, fications of detail as it may be desirable to make, flower. During the dinner the members enas clear a case as could be, but again was the in the interests of the two nations, in the exist- joyed themselves as usual, but were not a little prisoner liberated without punishment. Truly ing frontier of Tonquin, they shall refer to their surprised at the announcement of the provider. the thing is becoming a perfect farce a tragic respective Governments. force—for it demonstrates how utterly futile it Art. IV.—When the frontier shall have been as he had usually provided. Elderly gentlemen, is to attempt here to bring the murderer or the decided upon. French or French protégés and of sober, quiet habits, who usually confined slayer of his fellow man to justice. No wonder foreign residents of Tonquin who may wish to themselves to a couple of glasses, were not satis-the crop of murders in the colony has now be cross it in order to enter China may only do so fied with less than half a bottle; others who took come a heavy one, for the rufflanism of the on obtaining beforehand passes to be supplied half a bottle now extended their potations to a colony cannot fail to see that if a murder is by the Chinese frontier authorities on the re- bottle and a half. In fact, the hotel-keeper's committed, even if the murderer be caught, which | quisition of the French authorities. For Chi- supply was drunk dry. That gentlemen who is a case of ten to one against, there are again ness subjects an authorisation given by the indulged in this minner were not aware of it at

odds of ten to one against his being punished. Imperial frontier authorities shall be sufficient. the time is not wonderful; but that they felt no What does a prisoner on such a charge want. Chinese subjects wishing to pass from unpleasant sensations the following morning—with a counsel for his defence? The judge con- China to Tonquin by the land rente shall which they did not—is certainly curious. stitutes himself the persecuted man's advocate, be supplied with regular passports given. Perhaps one of the most common slips to be and besides that on the bench he may look to be by the French authorities on the requisition of scon in a newspaper is the mixing up of reports defended with consummate ability, he may rest the Imperial authorities. assured that what falls from that quarter has incomparably more weight than anything the permitted to Chinese merchants and to French of a railway report, to miss the facing points, as most able advocate can say for him. Mr. merchants or French protégés on the land fron- it were, and find one's self shunted into a noisy Manile Ackroyd has done more than followed the foot tier between China and Tonquin. This trade electioneering meeting, with ninety-nine speaksteps of the Chief Justice in this respect, for shall be conducted only at certain points ing and one listening! Some time ago the in his defence of the Wong Noi Chong which shall be determined upon hereafter, the following appeared in a London newspaper. It gardener he went considerably further. It position and number of which shall be decided had been speaking in high terms of a new tenor. might almost have been thought that his with regard to the direction and importance of a rara avis, who had delighted and entranced all Lordship's aim was either to have a hit the trade between the two countries. In this hearers. The criticism was elaborate, but it finat the police, or else to use that as an matter regard shall be had to the regulations ished by saying, "He was sentenced to five years' advocate's weapon on behalf of the prisoners. in force in the interior of the Chinese empire.

He had already made a mountain out of a mole— In any case two of these points shall be fixed—time, be freed from the infliction of his presence." hill in a previous case to the disparagement of on the Chinese frontier, one above Lac-kai and This extraordinary climax was simply owing to one of the inspectors, and now he seized upon the other beyond Langson. French merchants the fact that the end of a trial had been "lifted" another unfortunate officer, and held him up may establish themselves there under the same and left at the bettem of the notice of the tener. mercilessly to the censure of the jury. The conditions and with the same advantages as in the to which it formed such an inappropriate pendsumming up was not a samming up; it was an ports open to foreign trade. The Government ant. The dropping of a letter is not an uncomelaborate speech which gave a distorted and one of the Emperor of China shall establish Custom into thing; but it is sometimes extremely awk-It is reported in Peking that the Tsung-li sided sketch of the case to the jury. If the jury Houses there and the Republic may appoint ward. A London morning paper is responsible random will appoint. Dr. W. A. P. Martin, Presented upon that address, their only course was Consuls whose privileges and prerogatives shall for the following:—"A gentleman was yesterto find the prisoner not guilty. The jury, as a be identical with those of the agents of the same day brought up to answer a charge of having very great many more would do, simply followed country in the open ports. very great many more would do, simply followed country in the open ports.

the views of the judge, and a quitted the prisoner.

On his side the Emperor of China may, in action a hackney coachman for demanding more than his fare. The missing letter was a b. After having thus, by his own exertions, secured | cord with the French Government, appoint Con- Adverting to the well-known system of "turns," the acquittal of the prisoner. His Lordship suls in the principal towns of Tonquin. coolly informed those present that the Art. VI.—A special regulation annexed to the at the end of his fifteen minutes, -neuelly case had failed through the action of the police. present treaty shall specify the conditions under puts in the name of the man who is to He had told the jury to disregard more than one which trade by land between Tonquin and the follow-as, say, "Robinson's first follows." confession of his guilt by the prisoner a dictum Chinese provinces of Yunnan, Kwangsi, and These catch lines are commonly set up at which I must say I was utterly astounded; Kwangtung may be carried on. This regulation by the compositors, and are, of course, re and he had discounted in every way very strong shall be elaborated by Commissioners to be ap- moved when the types are finally put into

ment of delay would only put the more space | opened by treaty. ing particulars from the woman which might contracting states in its own territory.

without a moment's delay.

There was nothing strange in the fact that existing practice. the male witness who saw the assault upon the Art. VII.—In order to develop under the that spirit we should have no midday garrottings | encourage the construction of railways there. from disinterested metives. He would have she may have need. It is understood also, that shown an exceptional amount of public spirit had | this clause shall not be considered as constituthe done so. There was nothing strange about ing an exclusive privilege in favour of France.

the inspector in charge of the case. human life in this colony. I hope we have seen rutifications of the present treaty. If six months the last of this sickening tenderness for criminals, before the expiration of this term neither of the for if murders continue to go on unpunished, high contracting parties shall have expressed a On Bombay.—
and the perpetrators to be shielded from the desire for revision, the commercial stipulations Telegraphic vengeance of the law by the administrators of shall remain in force for another term of ten justice, we may look in vain for a place in this years, and so on. colony where we can be safe from assassination. Art. IX.—As soon as the present treaty shall Sir. For some time past I have observed in I hope also there will be less of a spirit of op- have been signed the French forces shall receive the Supreme Court of this colony, in criminal position to the police, as it is small encourage, orders to retire from Kelung, and to cease the Ox ful hearts.-I am, Sir, yours obediently,

> OBSERVER. Hongkong, 23rd July, 1885.

CHE CHINESE GOVERNMENT VIS-A-

VIS HONGKONG. TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS." SIR,—It is an open secret that for some time past the Chinese Government, through its Engish speaking and other agents here, has levied regular taxes, not only on our trade, but alsothanks to the crass folly which induced us to pamper and encourage the formation of such associations as the Po Loung-kuk, the Tung Wah and other kindred Chinese societies—on permanent residents. And just as straws show which way the wind blows, the following edifying conversation between two Chinese will show, to some extent, in what containst they now hold as and our vaunted power :—

"Hongkong balongs to those foreign devils no, not at all. In Governor Yeh's time, the officials were corrupt and sold their city (Canton): no guns were let off by the Chinese officials; the foreign devils paid money and were allowed to temporarily occupy Hougkong. Now it is different; they are now in Hongkong only on sufferance and pay rent to His Excellency Chang,

Comment on the above is needless. I merely epeat the gist of what was recently overheard. and leave your readers to draw their own deduc-

tions .-- Yours faithfully. Hongkong, 23rd July, 1885.

THE TREATY OF PEACE BETWEEN FEANCE AND CHINA.

between Francoand China from the French text | boo as a preliminary. To this the prisoner ob- Perak Tin Mining and Smelting Company as supplied by the French legation at Tokio to Jected, saying that he had already received cor-

the Echo du Japon :their collecting together again. Nevertheless month's wages. With considerable difficulty

the deceased's death and the man at whose hands | vinces bordering on Tonquin and to disperse those | had used the cane on the rowdy's back. The he required his fatal injuries, there was the which it may be attempted to form there for the magistrate accordingly wanted Mr. Isaacs to be clearest possible evidence. If ever there was a clear purpose of causing trouble amongst the popular punished, and after another long consultation

there would have been a conviction, if it is pos- soldiers, who live peaceably in Annum, support- when a really long list of charges has to be dissible to secure a conviction in any serious case, ling themselves by agriculture, industry, or trade, posed of, it will certainly be necessary for his which seems to be a matter for doubt nowadays, and whose conduct shall give no cause of com- Worship to open the Court at daylight and sit I cannot, in the space of this letter, go closely plaint, shall enjoy the same protection for their | till sunset.—Daily News. into the conduct of cases at the Supreme Court, persons and property as French proteges.

but I must not omit to allude to the action Art. II.—China, decided to do nothing which may compromiso the work of pacification under-

who is very popular among his brother Canton, it is said, will be left without French lying over at Hung Ham. He wounded himself not sit down in his office and examine the woman tariff on foreign trade. The reduced tariff shall not catch line answered the question—"Robinson's severely, but not fatally, and recovered under who brought the news, but he got one or two be applied, however, to goods transported by the first follows."

constables together, and went off to the scene of land frontier between Tonquin and Kwangtung the occurrence at once, fearing that every mo and shall have no effect in the ports already between himself and the men he was in search Trade in arms and in engines, provisions, and of. What would have been said of him had every munitions of war of all kinds shall be subject to man escaped while he was wasting time in gather. | the laws and regulations made by each of the

be had at any time? He would then justly have The expertation and importation of opium 3,653 packages tea. For London-101 bales called down upon himself the condemnation of shall be arranged by special provisions to be in- silk, 15 bales waste silk, 1,488 packages tea, and the Captain Superintendent of the force. He serted in the special regulation above mentioned. 149 packages sandries. adopted the coarse every man of energy and Trade by sea between China and Annam shall prompt action would have done in setting forth also be the object of a particular regulation. Meantime no alteration shall be made in the

deceased did not interfere; it would have been a | most advantageous conditions the relations of strange thing if he had, as a Chinaman. I never | trade and good neighbourhood which the present came across a case of ene Chinaman exposing treaty has for its object to re-establish between himself to the fury of several to save a stranger | France and China, the Government of the Refrom ill-treatment. It they had a little more of public will construct roads in Tonquin and will in crowded streets, such as are unhappily so When China, on her part, shall have decided On London.common here. Noither was it strange that he to construct railways it is understood that she did not go to the Station till he was sent for by shall address French industry, and the Governthe police. Chinese of his class do not as a rule ment of the Republic will give her all facilities come, voluntarily forward to assist the police for procuring in France the personnel of which

the case excepting that the man was acquitted, Art. VIII.—The commercial stipulations of O and the court unfairly throw the blame of it on the treaty and the regulations to be appended to it may be revised after an interval of ten In the interests of justice and the security of years from the date of the exchange of the Or

The present treaty shall be ratified forthwith by the Emperor of China, and, after it shall have been ratified by the President of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Sharas-154 French Republic, the exchange of the ratifications shall take place at Peking with as little | Union Insurance Society of Canton, Limited-

delay as possible. Done at Tientsin in four copies, the 9th June, 1885, corresponding to the 27th day of the 4th moon of the 11th year of Kuang Heü. Signed) PATENOTRE (L.S.) Seal of LI HUNG-CHANG.

AFFAIRS AT THE SHANGHAI

MIXED COURT. It is to be hoped that the matter of Mr. Huang's

soon be settled, as Mr. K'o, the present acting magistrate, is evidently a very incompetent per- China Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$73 son. The Chinese say he was formorly employed in a low capacity in a foreign hong here, where Hongkong and Whampon Dock Company's he picked up a little French as well as pidgin-English; and that afterwards he was a box maker. He appears further to be somewhat illiterate, and by no means clear-headed. He has certain- Indo-China Steam Navigation Co.'s Sharesly already severely tried the patience of each assessor by constantly worrying for an hour over | China and Manila Steamship Company, Limited a vetty case which either of his predecessors would have settled satisfactorily in a few minutes. and then probably adjourning it till another day because he is unable to make up his mind to its Hongkong Gas Company's Shares-\$90 per merits, though it is quite impossible that any fresh evidence should be obtained. As an in- Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares-3150 per stance of this we may refer to a case which came before the Court on the 17th July and which China Sugar Refining Company, Limited -\$98 had already been once adjourned. The prisoner was a rowdy who was in the habit of trying to China Sugar Refining Company (Debentures)get into native theatres without paying. On a recent attempt of this sort he was forcibly eject- Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited -985 ed, and then taken into custody by a Chinese

constable. After a long and elaborate enquiry, Hongkong Ice Company's Shares-31121 per Mr. K'o became convinced of the man's guilt, and ordered him to be deported, suggesting that Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited he should receive a few blows with the bamporal punishment at the time of his ejection Selangor Tin Mining Company-313 per share. from the theatre; and in proof of this he pulled Perak Sugar Cultivation Company-Tls. 35 per Art. I.—France engages to re-establish and off his cost and showed some slight marks a ports of Korea, at the request of Captain The next case I have to notice was similarly the French troops shall not, under any circum. Mr. Giles succeeded in convincing his Worship Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 C-5 per cent.

a foreign watchman at the theatre, a brought before Mr. K'o up to the present have

In a weaving-mill near Manchester, where the ventilation was bad, the proprietor caused a fan with reference to the charge of robbing his taken by France, engages to respect, in the pre- to be mounted. The consequence soon became master of \$50 against a boy in the employ of an sent and in the future, the treaties, conventions, apparent in a curious manner. The operatives, officer of the steamer Kwangles. I need say and arrangements concluded directly between little remarkable for olfactory refinement, inbut very little on the subject, as I am happy to France and Annom, or which may be reafter be stend of thanking their employer for his attention to their comfort and health, made a formal com-As regards the relations between China and plaint that the ventilator had increased their ap-With all that the newspapers then said I fully Annam, it is understood they shall be of such a petites, and therefore entitled them to a corresnature as shall in no way offend against the bonding increase of wages. By stopping the fan a handedness of the Attorney-General, quietly ac- dignity of the Chinese empire or give rise to any part of the day, the ventilation and voracity of the establishment were brought to a medium stand-Art. III.—Within a period of six months from and, and the complaints ceased. The operatives' the signature of the present treaty commis- wages would but just support them; any addi-So much for cases in the past, and now for the sioners appointed by the high contracting par- tional demand by their stomachs could only be present, and the case which was, as it were, ties shall proceed to the place to determine the answered by draughts upon their backs, which the last feather which broke the back of frontier between China and Tonquin. They were by no means in a condition to answer them. that they had drunk three times as much wine

of different events. It is rather trying to one's Art. V.—Import and expert trade shall be gravity, in following the solid facts and figures

too the reporter in the House of Commons. John William Christian Venke Muller, master and satisfactory evidence; and then told the pointed by the high contracting parties within "forme," On one occasion a London morning lowing result:-The speaker had said. "And

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Hongkong Observatory, 23rd July, 1885.

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THE AMERICAN MAIL. YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO. The P. M. steamer City of Peking, with the next American mail, left Yokohama on the 19th, and is due here on or about the 25th

THE ENGLISH MAIL The P. and O. steamer Nepaul, with the next Through Bills of Lading issued for trans. English mail, left Singapore at 8 a.m. on the 23rd, and is due here on the 28th instant. THE INDIAN MAIL.

The two direct steamers, with the next Indian in Merico, Central and South America, by the mail, left Calcutta on the 18th July, and are due here on or about the 3rd August. STEAMERS EXPECTED.

> The Glen Line steamer Glenfinlas left Singanors on the 18th, and is due here on or about the 24th instant. The D. D. R. steamer Iphigenia left Sings-

pore on the 18th, and is due here on or about the The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Agamemnon left Singapore on the afternoon of the 20th, and may be expected here on or about the 26th instant. The Union Line stranger Hampshire left

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Bellerophon left

Singapore on the morning of the 21st, and may

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Steater left Singa-For further information as to Passage and pore on the morning of the 22nd, and is due here

The Union Line steamer Westmeath left Singapore on the 22nd, and may be expected to arrive here on the 28th instant.

POST-OFFICE NOTICES.

Attention is invited to the following particulars on the subject of Local Delivery :-LOCAL DELIVERY. - No delivery is attempted on board Ship, at the Peak, Kowloon, Aberdeen, &o., nor at any private house (even though named in the address) when there is a place of husiness nearer, at which delivery can be effected

(Postal Guide, par. 159). The above Regulation is not new, but has been the invariable rule of the Post Office for many years. Considerable efforts have been made to secure its being generally understood. To prevent, however, if possible, any further disappointment in the matter, it will appear permanently on the Mail Lists issued twice every

When Correspondence has been mis-sent or

delayed (both of which are liable to happen

occasionally) all that the addresses need do is to

at 7 p.m., or as the case may be, and forward it, without any other writing whatever, to the Postmaster General. This should be acted on the first time cause of complaint occurs; it is a mistake to let such matters pass for fear of The Postal Guide for 1885 revised to date will be found in the Daily Press Directory.

is the only authorized complete Summary of Postal information published in Hongkong. The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is always corrected to a much later hour than that given

A MAIL WILL CLOSE. For Straits and Bombay .- Per Mobile, today, the 24th inst., at 2.30 P.M. For Saigon.-Per Tritos, to-day, the 24th inst., at 4.30 P.M. For Saigon .- Par Oxfordshire, to-day, the 24th instant, at 5.00 P.M. For Swatow, Amoy, and Fopohow,-Per

Namoa, to-morrow, the 25th instant, at 11.30 For Foodhow. - Per Guthrie, to-morrow, the 25th instant, at 2.30 P.M. For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yekohama.-Per Kushgar, on Saturday, the 1st August, at 5.00

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet Melbourne will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 6th August, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, vid Naples; te Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, the Australasian Colonies, Pondichery, Madras, Calcutta, Adon, Mauritius, Egypt. Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing

HOURS FOR CLOSING THE CONTRACT MAILS. THE ENGLISH MAIL. The following hours are observed in closing Mails, &c., by the British Contract Packet:-Day of Departure.

NOON .- Money Order Office closes. 2.00 p.m.—Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. 3.00 P.M.—Walls closed, except for Late Letters 3.10 P.M.—Letters may be posted with late fee of 10 cents until 3.30 P.M.—when the Post Office closes entirely.

time of departure. THE FRENCH MAIL. Day before Departure. 5 P.M., Money Order Office closes. Post Office closes, except the night box, which is always open out of office hours.

7 A.M., Pest Office opens. all printed matter and patterns ceases. of 10 cents until

time of departure. RATES OF POSTAGE. Letters, per ½ oz. 10 Cents -Papers, por 2 oz. 2 Cants. 10 Cents Do. with return receipt 15 Cents

1.-Postal Notes of the values named below,

All money orders on the United Kingdom for sums not exceeding £5 applied for at Hongkong or Shanghai will be granted by means of these 2.—The purchaser of any Postal Note should keep a memorandum of its date and number. He must fill in the Pavee's name before parting with it. He may also fill in the name of the

months) anywhere in the United Kingdom, at Gibraltar, or at Constantinople. Any Postal. Note may be crossed to a Bank. 3.—Postal Notes should always be forwarded an Registered Covers. If this precaution is not taken no enquiries whatever will be reade is to the loss or alleged loss of any Note. No

W. H. McNen, Brit. ship, T. O'Brien .- Gibb, 3.40 P.M.—Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with late fee of 10 cents, until

Day of Departure. 10 A.M., Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of 11 A.M., Mail closes, except for Late Letters. These Mammoth Drawings are supervised by 11.10 A.M., Letters may be posted with Late Fee of the Press, Merchants, Lawyers. Doctors, 11.30 A.M., whon the Post Office closes entirely. 11.40 A.M., Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with Late Fee of 10 Cents until

Post Cards, each Books, Patterns, and Commercial ? Total£15.000 The remaining £5,000 will be employed by Newspapers & Prices Current, each Registration

4.—Postal Notes issued in the United Kingdom are not payable in Hongkong or China.

EXTRACT. ENERAL GRANT'S PERSONAL

MEMOIRS: deat Van Buren; contrasts the personal field.

'Illinois, but I had not moral courage to halt forgot the object of our meeting." and consider what to do. I kept right on. and when we reached a point ir m which the valley below was in full view I ! .!ted. The ing an enemy."

at an earlier hour."

much public comment. He tells of the long from every shire, which was called the march of the day before over moddy roads "feorum fultum." Afterwards, in war times, by General McCook's division, of its "con- taxes were imposed (in the form of grossspicuous acts of gallantry" on the day of levies) by the "Witenagemot" upon the the extent one would suppose from the off the Danis's invaders, another tax called

fullest admission," Lieutenant-General he adds :- "In my first sand pounds in 1007; forty eight thous which, like the poor, be had always with Confessor repealed this tax, but it was Secretary Stanton caught cold on that trip, money, as when the Londoners paid Rin 80,000 men, and says that he was operating before they were expelled by decres in 1200. in a country with which his army was Henry the Second exacted from them one thoroughly familiar, while to the Pederal year a fourth part of their chattele. John forces it was entirely unknown. He tells of imprisoned all he could lay hands on, and Lee's surrender, and takes occasion in it to drained them of sixty-six thousand marks. tell about the famous surrender under the Henry the Third imposed a special fine of training ship was captured and brought before orchard across the valley from the Court tallage of sixty thousand marks, arresting explanation. The boy, in a frank and intelligent House, one tree of which was close to the their persons and those of their wives and manner, gave as his reason that "the Navy was roadeide; that General Babcock reported to children; and seizing all their lands and too rough a place for him." On being further him (Grant) that he had found General Lee chattels in default of payment. There were guardians to join a training ship he and they sitting under this tree, and had brought him special functionaries for the Jew department were under the delusion that he was to be entered

General, and others of his staff were waiting sion. But, formally expelled by Edward the

written in sturdy and terse Anglo-Saxon, over the result and was too manly to show sand six hundred and seven pounds two The dedication is a fac-simile of the General's entirely concealed from observation, but my three hundred and seventy-six thousand manuscript, and is as follows: "These own feelings, which had been quite apparent four hundred and forty-two lay persons, the volumes are dedicated to the American on the receipt of his letter, were sad and return not including Chester and Durham, May 23, 1885." He begins by saving that rejoicing at the downfull of a fee that had of greats was afterwards superseded by a he is of American stock on both sides for fought'so long and gallantly, and had suffered poll-tax, graduated according to sanks and generations. Mathew Grant. from so much for a cause which I believed to be means. Thus Dukes were taxed ten marks whom he is descended in the eighth genera- one of the worst for which people ever each: Earls and Countesses, six marks; tion, reached Dorchester, Mass., in 1630, from fought, and for which there was not the least | Birons, Bannerets, and Knights, and their Noali Grant, held a commission in the British sincerity of the great mass of those who esquires, a mark and a half; small esquires Army, and his-grandfather, also named were opposed to us. Gen. Lee was dressed and merchants, a mark; and esquires with-Noah, served in the war of the Revolution. in full uniform, entirely new, and wearing a out land and in professional service, three influence of Thomas Morris, Congressman by the State of Virginia. At all events it pounds; lower legal dignituries, one pound

uld see Harris' camp and possibly find his about 16 years difference in our ages and from every lay person in the kingdom, male getting higher and higher until it felt to me attracted his attention sufficiently to be re- life." This tax was ordered with the provision given anything then to have been back in conversation grew'so pleasant that I almost no man of means was to pay more than sixty

CURIOSITIES OF TAXATION.

All recognise taxes to be indispensable to place where Harris had been encomped for a our comfort and safety as citizens, but we few days before was still there, and the do not love them; we admit that the taxmarks of a recent encampment were plainly gatherer is a necessary evil, but most of us visible, but the troops were gone. My heart | would rather have his room than his company. resumed its place. It occurred to me at Would taxes be any more pleasant or easier once that Harris had been as much afraid of to pay if we called them benefactions, or me as I had been of him. This was a view subscriptions, or contributions? It is more of the question I had never taken before, than doubtful; but, at the same time, let it but it was one I never forgot afterwards, not be forgotten that it has been contended From that event to the close of the war I that the severance of the American colonies never experienced trepidation upon confront- from the mother country would never have occurred, had our statesmen been diplomatic He speaks of the Battle of Fort Donelson enough to style the obnoxious dues "reat some length. Speaking of the Battle of gulations," instead of taxation. There is, Shilob he says be considered the situation no doubt, a good deal in a name, and if, as as one in which the Federal forces were on Wood says, Eastern potentates prefer to call the offensive, but assert that no precautions the toils which have to be paid to the Arab for defence were neglected. On this subject chiefs by the bands of pilgrims to Mecoa, he continues as follows :-- "General Beaure. backsbeesh, or gratuities, one can understand gard was next in rank to Johnston and their feeling, notwithstanding that the said succeeded to the command, which he retain- Arab chiefs call the same tolls; taxes. One ed until the close of the battle, and during of the conditions upon which Louis the the subsequent retreat on Corinth, as well as Eleventh of France bought peace from in the siege of that place. His tactice have England was the payment of fifty thousand been severely criticised by Confederate crowns annually to the English king, and writers, but I do not believe his fallen chief certain annual sums to the English ministers. could have done any better under the cir- English historians call these payments cumstances. Some of these critics claim tributes, but French historians call them that Shilch was won when Johnston fell, and gifts. Our own Kings, too, had an innocent would have been annihilated or captured. made less hateful by its name, and therefore, There is little doubt that we should have in kindly consideration for the feelings of ly over the enemy, and if all of theirs bad First tried hard to work the "benevolence" charge which had been repeatedly ordered. of anything they simply demanded it from It is evidence that there was neither univer- their followers, although they probably prewhen I doubted the eventual defeat of the the conquered province. And eventual plate of the three days we find that the taxes we find that taxes we find taxes we f enemy, although I was disappointed that jearly days we find that the taxes we paid reinforcements so near at hand did not arrive with grumbling and collected with difficulty, imposed in 1777, and was at the rate of Bus Pan In the Anglo-Saxon period we do not find twenty-one shillings each servant, but in In this connection he refers to his article much about regular taxes until the several 1785 Pitt arranged a progressive scale by Columbus

the battle, and concluded in these words: shires, which had to contribute ships and "I refer to these circumstances with minute- equipments in proportion to their populaness, because I did General McCook injustice | tions. This was the famous "Shipgeld." public press. I am not willing to do any this "Diney did" was imposed. This was one injustice, and if convinced that I have fevied upon the land and ranged from one done one, I am always willing to make the shilling to four shillings per hide, or one bundred and twenty scres. This tax yielded Then follow accounts of the siege and cap- ten thousand pounds in 991; twenty-four ture of Vicksburg, and of his appointment as thousand pounds in 1002; thirty-six thousand of the lower chases produced two hundred Penobscot inverview with Mr. Lincoln slone he stated nounds in 1012; and seventy-two thousand to me that he had never professed to be a pounds in 1018. Long after the fear of the and eighty, thousand pounds" to the Parle military man or to know how campaigns Danes disappeared this tax was retained, revenue !-All the Year Round. should be conducted, and never wanted to but it was very unpopular, and led to a interfere with them, but procrastination on revolt in Worcestershire in 1041, and the the people of the North and of Congress, caster by the King's orders. Edward the

known series of Executive orders. He did other tax invented by the Anglo-Sarons and of our local authorities. The be wanted or had ever wanted, he said, was hearth in the country with the exception of Naples, says the Tribuna, is on the eve of that some one would take the responsibility, the poor. The Exchequer Rolls give some the day when the first bulletin last year and so and call on him for all the assistance ourious instances of the operation of the announced the presence of the cholers, and needed." Describing his command of the feudal law. One Walter de Cancey paid nothing has been done nothing, nothing, Division of the Mississippi, by tells how he lifteen pounds for the privilege of marrying nothing!' I will not describe the horrible met Secretary Stanton at Indianapolis, how when and whom he pleased. A certain lady spectacle we witnessed during the four hours them. The two were identical except in same privilege. One Geoffrey de Mandevill one particular, both created the military paid the King twenty thousand marks for division of the Mississippi giving me com- permission to marry Isabell, Countess of mand, composed of the Department of Ohio Gloucester. Besides the right to all waifs at Cumberland and the Tennessee and all and strays, the flotsam and jetsam of the the territory from the Alleghanies to the coasts, treasure-trove, and the profits in Mississippi north, Banks' command in the return for the custody of the lands of im southwest. One order left the Department beciles, the King received fees for granting Fondaco of the Presepe an old woman com-Commanders as they were, while another charters to towns and guilds, and liberty to plained of the accumulation of filth. Do relieved Rosecrans and assigned Thomas to form markets, fairs, parks, and monopolies; his place. I accepted the latter." He says Sometimes these fees or fines were paid in from which he never recovered. He gives a Stephen a hundred silver marks for leave to graphic description of how Chattaucoga was choose their own sheriffs. York paid Henry saved, of how he was sant for in baste at the Third two hundred marks for burgess. night by Secretary Stanton, whom he found liberties; the vintners of Hereford paid forty Mr. Jefferson Davis was wearing subset of wine for tenpence for the space of a year. quently to when he was captured -- a dressing It was in the reign of Henry the Second gown not without the shawl and the sun- that feudatory, service was commuted into bonnet," General Grant adds :- "He showed money payments. The tax was called me a despatch showing me that a retreat "scutage," and was at the rate of one pound must be prevented. I immediately wrote six shillings and eightpence on every knight's Much money, too, has been distributed an order assuming command of the Military fee of twenty pounds annual value. But in Division of the Mississippi, and I telegraphed this reign also was instituted a sort of Inan order from Washington assigning to come and Property Tax, for before proceed-General Thomas the Army of the Cumber- ing to the Crusade, Honry decreed that land, and that he must hold Chattanooga at everyone should "give in alms" the tenth all hazards." He describes the wilderness of his rents and movables. The Jews were Up to the present time the air has been cool, campaign and estimates Lee's strength at a good source of profit to our old Kings proaching, and too many precautions cannot

General Grant. Of this interview he says: First, the Jews were not allowed to settle again "When I went into the house I found in England until the time of Cremwell. The General Lee. " We greeted each other, and, Plantagenate instituted some curious taxes. The New York Commercial Advertiser after shaking bands, took our heats. What One, in 1877, agreed to by Parliament, was Grant's "Personal Memoirs," which will be man of much dignity and with an im- goods of each person in the kingdom, mon published within a few months. The first penetrable face, it was impossible to ear and women, over the age of fourteen years, volume is completed and the second nearly whether be felt inwardly glad that the end except only beggars." This was the "Tallage so. The extracts given show the work to be had finally come, or whether he felt sadly of Groats," and it yielded twenty-two thouwith here and there a touch of quiet humour. it. Whatever his feelings were, they were shillings and eightpence, from one million Chints, perplete soldier and sailor. 'U.' S. Grant, New York, depressed. I felt like anything rather than which kept separate accounts. This tallage Derchester, England. His great grandfather, pretext. I do not question, however, the widows, three marks, knights-backelors and

which he first saw General Scott and Presi- which would be ordinarily worn in the The regulations for other ranks are interestcharacteristics of Generals Scott and Taylor; My rough travelling suit, which was the an Earl, and had to pay accordingly. A War, he says :- " As we approached the brow that I remembered him parfectly, but owing Crown jewels, were in pawn. Therefore, of the hill from which it was expected we to the difference in years there being another tax was levied of, "three groats mon ready formed to meet us, my heart our rank, I thought I had not very likely or female, of whatever estate or condition in as though it was in my throat, I would have membered after such a tong period. Our that the strong should help the weak, but greats, or twenty shillings, and no one less than twopence. This was what led to the peasant insurrection, in which Wat Tyler figured. The Plantagenets also raised money on the "benevolence." principle—literally appeals to the charity of their subjects. Edward the Fourth, being very handsome, was remarkably successful at this method of

extortion, particularly with the fair sex. It is related that one rich widow, captivated by bis good looks, tabled twenty pounds with a good grace. The King was so pleased that he kissed her, and the lady immediately doubled her benevolence, "because she esteemed the kiss of a King so precious a jewel." Queen Elizabeth also raised a great deal of money by appeals to the "benevolence" of her subjects. It is related that on one occasion the Mayor of Coventry brought ber a handsome well-filled purse. whom the Queen remarked: "I have few such gifts, Mr. Mayor; it is a hundred pounds in gold." "Please your grace," said the mayor, " it is a great deal more we give you." "What is that?" said the Queen. "It is the hearts of your loving subjects." replied the mayor. To which the Queen rejoined: "We thank you, Mr. Mayor, That is a great deal more indeed." James the First instituted another mode of raising

the wind, which, although hardly under the head of taxation, is worth poticing. He put up honours for sale, and fixed the following that if he had not fallen the army under me belief that a thing hateful itself might be prices: For an Earldom, twenty thousand pounds; & Viscounty, fifteen thousand pounds; a Barony, ten thousand pounds; a been disgracefully beaten if all the shells their subjects, they often described taxes as Bironetcy, one thousand and ninety-five and hullets fired by us had passed harmless. " benevolences" and "loans." Charles the pounds. The sole condition was that the purchaser should be of sufficient worldly taken effect. Commanding Generals are trick, but it had been pretty well played out position to regionain the dignity of the rank liable to be killed during engagements, and by his time. We have no record of taxation purchased. We can only briefly indicate in fact that when he was shot Johnston was among the Ancient Britons, but it may be curiosities of taxation under the Pitt adleading a brigade to induce it to make a assumed that when the chiefs were in need ministration, some of which survived for a considerable time, Solicitors, attorneys, and notaries had to take out licenses, for which sal demoralization on our side nor unbounded ferred to steal it from some rival chief or five pounds was charged for London and confidence on theirs, which has been claimed. clan. But when the Romans came, taxes Edinburgh, three pounds for other parts of There was, in fact, no hour during the day were levied to provide for the expenses of Great Britain. Among other curious taxes

in the Century, and his remarks in it in kingdoms merged into one, and then we which the tax rose in proportion to the Comet regard to General McCook, which caused so read that the King received a contribution | number of servants kept up to four pounds | Files five shillings each. A further advance during Emma Muller June the Peninsular war brought the maximum | Sur Lee up to nine pounds thirteen shillings each, E. Reed this extreme rate being payable by bachelors F. Pendleton who kept eleven servants or more. It were too long a story to detail here all the ex- H. E. Tapley periments which have been made in taxing | HighlandLight May in my article in the Century, though not to Still later, when money was needed to buy catables and drinkables coal, and timber, Highlander bricks and tiles, candles, paper, bottles, John C. Smith July 13 playing-carde and dice, newspapers, adver. J. Thompson tisements, starch, tooth-powder, hats, gloves, Khorssan and a bost of other subjects. In fact, after L. Harewood the great French war, there seemed nothing Livingstone sacred from the tax-gatherer's lynx-eve. Even plum-puddings were taxed, and it is and that "the favourite current-dumplings O side

FILTHY NAPLES. Our correspondent writes from Naples, S. D. Carleton July 17 Freeman the part of commanders and the pressure of subsequent spolistion of the city of Wor- May 20:-"Amid the festivities which Sharpshooter have welcomed the King and Queen there Star of China June 21 bim, had forced him into issuing his well- instituted again by the Norman Kings. An- strong protest against the inaction St. Nicholas not know but that they were all wrong, and revived by the Normans, was the Fumage, takes the lead, and is supported by the Tri- W. H. McNeil July did not know what some of them were. All or smoke-tax. It was levied upon every buna and the Bersaglieri (Roman journale). Wildwood they went to Louisville, and adds:-" Soon of Ipswich paid four pounds and a silver that we passed in this via crucis. After Chanderosger July 16 Parker. after we started, the Secretary handed me mark for permission to marry "her own seven months the Fondaci (cellars) still exist, Gilsland two orders, saying I could take my choice of love," and several other ladies paid for the We visited all. Everywhere the poor people Ta Lea said, 'We are dying here." But have you complained to the Vice-Syndic? What is the use of doing so? We have sent in 200 complaints. Has nothing been done since Estrella the epidemic? .. 'Eccellenzal: See what has Mary Austin

been done, pointing to a tint on the wall at Milton the entrance, which once was white. At the Soochow you know that 100 millions of lire were collected to provide better things for you?' "Eccollenza! was the reply; that is spent Caroline for the signori. And when with anima Claro Babuyan July 14 W. Brown affranta' we got out of that 'Inferno' and a Daniel ray of the sun saluted us after four hours, Guiding Star . and we were able to breathe fresh air instead | Hermann pacing the floor rapidly in about the garb shillings for permission "to sell'a sentertium of putrid exhalations, the answer of that old H. G. Wappaus June 28 C. Schroder woman still beat my head as with a hammer. Mary Stewart July * Eucellenzal that is spent for the signori." It is true that many foul wells have been Satsums closed, or the order to close them has been among the sufferers by the cholers; but I have beard a common complaint that those who the least needed it have received it and been | Loong Wah enriched, as some poor people said to me. Wagrien not to may cold; but summer beat is ap-

F. N. Thayer- July 1 Clark Very recently a boy who deserted from his Hang-bo apple-tree. He says there was an apple twenty thousand marks in addition to a his commanding officer for examination and within the Federal lines to the house of a of the revenue, and seeing that it was so as a Naval Cadet and as a young gentleman on Snow & B'gess May 26 Brown man named McLean, who was a Confederate jugastive one wonders at the decree of expul- board the Britannial

be taken to guard this city from another

epidemic."-Times.

-HONGKONG MARKETH 13,45 to 3.55 Campber, packed, popolarline in 1811.7 19,50 Peas. White, per plant COTTON GOODS. Peas, Green Heans, nor ploul. 12.15 to 231publishes a page of extracts from General his feelings were I do not know. Being a a tax of "fourpence to be taken from the American Drills, 30 yards, per piece ... \$2.95 to \$.10 Pour Barley, per plont American Drille, 15lbs., per place ... \$3.90 to 3.95 Potatos Flour, ner piouls Cotton Yarn, No. 16 to 24, per 4001 bs. \$85.00 to 87.30 Cotton Yarn, No. 28 to 32, per 4001 bs. \$98.50 to \$7.50 English Drills, 30 yards, per piece \$2.55 to 2.65 Elephant's Teeth, 7 to 8 pieces \$200 to 220 Grey T-Clothe, 24yde. & 33in. 71be, p. po. \$1.35 to 1,70 Flour, California, per sack of No The \$1.50 to 1.55 Rattan, Straits, per picul....... 55.25 to 5 45 Flour, American, per barrel of 100 lbs... \$3.20 to 3.30 Flour, American, per barrel of 200 lbs... \$6.3° to 6.45 from Ohio; tells of the circumstances under was an entirity different sword from that and attorneys, six shillings and eightpence. Handkerchiefs, Blue, per dozen \$0.60 to 0.65 Handkerchiefs, Brown, per dozen \$0.55 to 0.62 Ginseng, American, let quality, p. picul. \$200 to : 485 Gingeng, American, 2nd quality, p. picul. 5160 to: 210-Hams, Ordinary, per piculTle. 17.7.0 to 18.00 Sugar, Shek-lung, White, No. 1, p. pol.... \$5.22 to 5.54 gives a copy of his letter to Adjutant. uniform of a private with the stripes of a London alderman had to pay two pounds, White Shirtings, 54 reed, per piece \$2.15 to 2.35 General Thomas, dated at Galena, Ill., May General, must have contrasted very strangely like a Buron, and provincial mayors of large White Shirtings, 64 to 66 reed, per piece \$2.45 to 2.65 gives a copy of his letter to Adjutant.

General Thomas, dated at Galera, Ill., May

24. 1861, offering his services to the United
high and of faultless form. But this we replied to take command of a matter I thought of until afterwards.

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Audacious	double-serew iron frigate	14	1330	Captain Pearson	Hongkong	
Champion	corvetta	14	2340	Captain Powlett	Nagasaki	
Cleopatra	corvetta	14	2610	Capt. H. N. Hippisley	Port Hamilton	
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Daring	composite sloop	.4	920	Commander Brook	ort Hamilton	,
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Invincible	double-serew ironolad	14	4030	Capt. C. E. Backle	Singapore	
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P'broke Castle	Transport	-	1	Capt. Harrison	Hongkong	
Rambler	composite gun-vessel	3	670	Com, Hon. Vereker	Shanghai	
Rosetta	transport	~	1	Capt. Brady	Hongkong	
Sapphire	corvette	[2]	4360	Capt. R. G. Kinaham	Hongkong	
Swift	double-sorew gun-vessel	5	1010	Commander Bromley	Shanghai	
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Vigilant	paddle despatch vessel	2	1230	Lt. Com Parquhar 5	Hongkong	
Wan lever	composite sloop	3	750	Com. O. Churchili	Port Hamilton	
Wild Swan	corvette	8	800	Capt. John S. Hallifar	Cruising	
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Zephyr	gunboat	- I	530	LtCom. C. K. Hope	Nagasaki	

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Alert	American corvette	. 4	800	Commander J. C. Barelay	
Aspic	French ganbost	4	_	Capt. M. de F. Jonquière-	
Atalante.	French frigate	12	2400	Captain Treve	Cruising
Champlain	French craiser	10	1450	Captain Martial	L'escadores
Chateau Renaud	French corvette	-		- Captain Le Pontois	Formosa
Chateau Yquem		-	1.	Captain Legard	Haiphong
Comete	French gunboat	-	-	Captain Noirate	Haipliong
Cristo. Colombo	Italian corvette	-	4	Captain Accinni	Shanghai
Duchaffant	French corvette	-		Capt. L. Moussaux	Yokohama
Daguey-Tronia	French corvette	5	-	Captain Posminy	Saigon
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Elisabeth	German corvette	21	2 100	Comd. Schering	Singapore
Enterprise	American corvette	6	800	Commander A. S. Barker	Amoy
Ermak	Russian transport		80	Captain Koltobau-	Tepan
Fornostai	Russian gunboat	7	80	Commander Stark	Vladivostock
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lautilus	German gun-vessel	4.	1600	Captain Spetzler	Chefeo
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	Russian gunbost		80	Capt. D. des Essarts	
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